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Anti-Castro Fighter Visits Area

A member of the Cuban underground, attempting to rid Cuba of Fidel Castro's dictatorship, visited Orlando Saturday and walked the streets wearing a sign which proclaimed he challenges President Johnson, Secretary of State Dean Rusk, and John McCone, director of the Central Intelligence Agency, to a debate on communism in Cuba.

Capt. Robert W. Cales, 53, a resident of Miami, said he lived in Cuba for 25 years as a commercial fisherman. He continued, "I have been transporting arms and ammunition by planes and boats to the Cuban underground since 1959 to fight the Castro regime." Cales, referring to Castro as "Khrushchev's puppet," and Che Guevara as "the real boss," said he had some \$900,000 worth of land and personal belongings confiscated when Castro began his Communist control of the "Pearl of the Antilles."

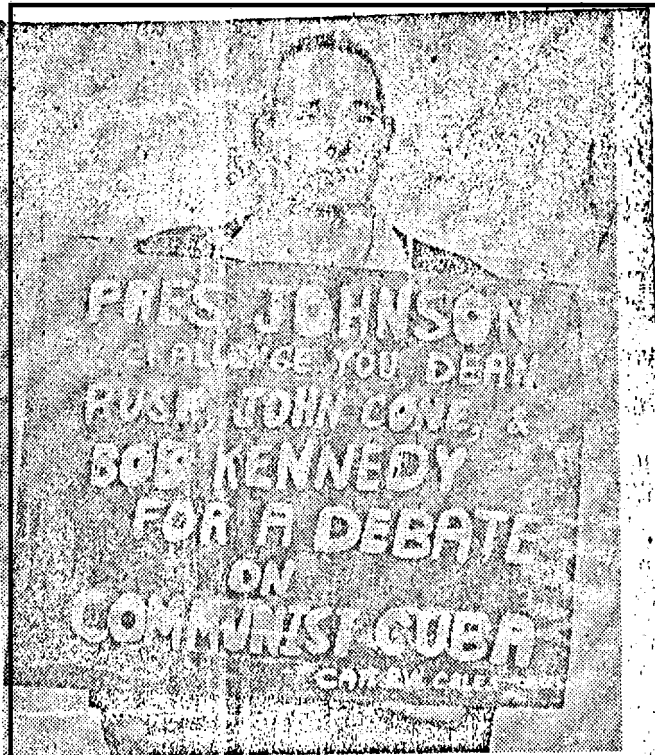
CALES, WHO said he has been speaking "all over America between trips to Cuba for the underground," said yesterday he is now on his way to Washington, "fighting politically" as he goes, to "picket the White House in an attempt to get a debate with President Johnson, Rusk and McCone on the Cuban situation."

Noting that "As of nine weeks ago there were 35,000 Russians and 15,000 Red Chinese on the island of Cuba," Cales said he is scheduled to make speeches "all over America on 'Communist subversion in the Western Hemisphere' and 'Batista's betrayal by Cas-

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MEMBER OF CUBAN UNDERGROUND
 Capt. Cales challenges leaders to debate issue

He commented that since "the Communists are so strong in Cuba, the U.S. will have to use extremely strong tactics to overthrow them."

Cales said he has "positive proof" that during the 1961 removal of missiles from Cuba, it was "only a disguised political move by the Democratic Party." He stated that the "missiles" removed from the island were "simply disguised palm trees," and noted that presently there are over 100 long-range missiles (2300 mile radius) and some 500 short-range missiles (600 mile radius) on the island. Cales said he is being supported by donations given

to him as he makes speeches at churches, town halls and civic clubs during his travels around the country.